



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Title : Method and Apparatus for Controlling a Secondary Air Stream in a
Combustion Engine

Mail Stop AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
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REPLY

Sir:

In response to the Office action of May 9, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.